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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 18, second full paragraph:

FIGS. 2(A) and 2(B) are views illustrating a transmission mode over a serial bus;

REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

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APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

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FIG. 2 is a viewFIGS. 2(A) and 2(B) are views illustrating a transmission mode over a serial bus;